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Title: ROLLING ELEMENT FOR A
CONTINUOUSLY VARIABLE
TRANSMISSION (CVT), A CVT
USING THE ROLLING ELEMENT AND
A PROCESS FOR PRODUCING THE
ROLLING ELEMENT

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b) is the nonprovisional utility patent application of:

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Enclosed are:

- [X] Specification, Claim(s), and Abstract (39 pages).
- [X] Formal drawings (5 sheets, Figures 1-6B).
- [X] Declaration and Power of Attorney (4 pages).
- [X] Claim to Convention Priority and 2 Priority Documents.
- [X] Assignment Recordation Cover Sheet (1 page).
- [X] Assignment of the invention to NISSAN MOTOR CO., LTD.(1 page).
- [X] Information Disclosure Statement (2 pages).

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Proprietary Information Disclosure Statement with Transmittal Letter and copy of 1 Proprietary Reference.

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